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CIRCUIT COURT CONVENED LAST MONDAY

Special Judge L. P. Little, of Owensboro, Presiding--Grand and Petit Jury Impanelled---Very Important Session.

JUDGE GORDON ILL AT HIS HOME IN MADISONVILLE

Circuit Court convened Monday with Judge L. P. Little, of Owensboro, presiding.

The forenoon was consumed in organization and the impanelling and instructing the grand jury. The afternoon was devoted to the reading of the docket and the setting of the cases.

Judge Little did not devote much time in his instructions to the grand jury and yet what he said was plain and to the point. Particular emphasis was placed on the carrying concealed weapons. He said, in most cases where the violators were fined and imprisoned they were usually given the lowest instead of the highest fine.

The grand jury is composed of twelve good men. They are:

C. R. Newcom, foreman, Jim McConnell, H. C. Farmer, Albert Lucas, J. R. Marvel, C. M. Clift, George L. Rankin, Jim Manus, W. H. Teer, S. M. Weldon, Claude Gill and Ira Bradburn.

The following are the petty jury: T. A. Rankin, Cecil Rankin, Ellis Ralston, H. O. Hill, Harris R. Austin, Geo. W. Davis, H. S. Driver, W. B. Binkley, W. J. McChesney, A. J. Pickens, W. E. Minner, R. L. Nickols, Jim Pickens, J. C. Alexander, R. H. Kemp, W. I.

Clement, Hugh McConnell, E. H. Lott, W. L. Taylor, Burnett Williams, Ed Robinson, J. F. Brasher, Percy Brasher and C. W. Bryant.

Notwithstanding the down-pour of rain there were a good many people in town. The bar was well represented and all present, including John L. Grayot, of Smithland, our re-elected Commonwealth's Attorney.

The docket is larger this term than for some time and will likely take the entire term to dispose of it.

The criminal part of it, however, is very light.

The absence of Judge Gordon on account of sickness is deplored by all, but ere the next term it is hoped he will be sufficiently recovered to preside. He has many friends here who are sincerely anxious for his early recovery, who will extend to him an old time welcome when he comes to Marion again.

The attorneys present were: James & James, Blue & Nunn, Moore & Moore, Hon. W. J. Deboe, A. C. Moore, Carl Henderson, J. G. Rochester, W. A. Blackburn, J. B. Kevil, R. L. Moore, A. U. Davidson and Hon. Jno. L. Grayot. Visiting attorney were Clay & Clay, of Henderson.

Denton-Mitchell.

Mr Leonard Mitchell and Miss Lessie Denton were married on Monday evening at 2 o'clock in the parlors of the Gill House, by Rev. J. B. Adames.

Both of the contracting parties are prominent young people of Hampton, Livingston county. They were a handsome couple who we feel, took the sacred vows with the determination to live up to them.

Those witnessing the beautiful ceremony were: T. H. Cochran, N. E. Calmes, E. J. Hayward, Sam Gugenheim and Mr. and Mrs. Gill. May they live a long, prosperous and happy life.

Letter From Little Miss

Rosetta Towery.

Sheriden, Ky., Nov. 10th, 1909.

Dear Editor:—My full name is Maggie Rosetta Towery. I live in the country with my uncle and aunt. I have a beautiful home. My mother is dead and I live with my aunt and she is a mother to me, my uncle is good to me and I love him.

I can do most any kind of work. I have several dolls and I can make their clothes, I have been playing with them all day. I can cook, and iron, and wash dishes, and sweep the floor. I can hem stitch kerchiefs and napkins. I can help my mother at home. I can draw and I have a great many playthings. I love my home. I live in a white house with 15 windows and 15 doors. My favorite flowers are white lilies.

I have a black pony and a saddle

and can ride like a cow boy.

Yours truly,

ROSETTA TOWERY.

God bless this sweet motherless girl. You write a good letter Rosetta. Come again. The Editor will always give your letters a good place and hearty welcome.

Corn Wanted.

Until further notice we will pay 60 cents per bushel for sound white shucked corn. Now is a good time to lay in your winter's supply of flour. Bring on your corn and get the cash or flour. The quality of our flour can not be excelled.

MARION MILLING COMPANY
Incorporated.

30 3d Marion, Ky.

A Glorious Revival.

On Tuesday night, Oct. 19th, Rev. W. R. Gibbs, pastor of Repton church, preached the first sermon of the grandest revival meeting in the history of the church.

On Saturday following, Rev. T. N. Martin, of Sullivan, Ky., came to his assistance; when the services began day and night. For two weeks the weather was ideal, and notwithstanding the large crowds that gathered every night, the best of order was maintained throughout the meeting. These Brethren did fervent faithful work; and through the foolishness of preaching, many sought the Lord.

Miss Edna Foster, organist, with the appreciative help of others, rendered sweet music. The singing was all that could be desired. The saints seemingly sang with the spirit

AMOUS PEOPLE

BY FANNIE M. LOTHROP



IDA M. TARBELL
Remarkable Historian and Writer

One of the greatest living historians is a woman—Ida M. Tarbell, who evolved from a chaos of facts and figures a clear, orderly, concise and consecutive history of, perhaps, the greatest business organization in the world. With the sure instinct of the true historian, she gathered the vital facts in the rise of this great institution and presented them in their true relation with conscientious loyalty to truth, with courage in stating boldly her findings, and with an absence of prejudice that is rare, indeed, in writing on such a theme. The work is more than a mere history of an industry; it is the biography of a genius in organization and the vivisection of a typical trust combined in one masterly work—"The History of the Standard Oil Company." This is but one of the splendid pieces of literature to the credit of Miss Tarbell.

Miss Tarbell was born and brought up in the oil regions of Erie county, Pennsylvania, and after graduating from Allegheny College, at Meadville, had to face the problem of self-support. After a period of teaching in Ohio, she assumed the position of associate editor of "The Chautauquan," and later became its managing editor. She saw that editorial work and original creation cannot properly be driven abreast, so gently cutting the reins of editorial duties, went to Paris to study the French method of historical research. Here for three years, while studying she supported herself by her writings.

An article on Alphonse, who carried out the improvements in beautifying Paris, led to an interview with S. S. McClure, who was so charmed with her work that he rushed in for a five minute talk in her little den on the fifth floor of the house where she lived; he stayed two hours, and, as Miss Tarbell says, they both talked at once all the time. A cable invitation for her to write a history of Napoleon brought her back to America shortly after, and her literary success really began.

Her splendid life of Lincoln represented five solid years in the collection of material, and she went from Kentucky to Indiana, from there to Illinois, and then to Washington, interviewing men who had known him, digging into files of old newspapers, records, reports and documents, and visiting out-of-the-way places that might furnish a single grain of new illumination on his character or life-work. It was the same spirit of conscientious care in details that made her travel from New York to Cleveland merely to see for a few moments John D. Rockefeller as he appeared in a Sunday School environment. Miss Tarbell's latest work on the "Tariff in Our Times" is a line of effort that seems destined to wield a great influence on the future history of our nation.

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and the understanding also. Prayers were earnest and full of faith. Other demonstrations worked harmoniously with the Baptist, and the Altar would be full of penitents pleading for mercy. It certainly was, as was frequently sung "Old time religion." A pentecostal shower. Some were like the great Apostle Paul, "whether in the body or out of the body, I can not tell." Many shouted and praised God. Some had become careless and indifferent, had the joys of salvation restored. There were at least sixteen happily converted. Sixteen joined the church, however only six of this number professed during the meeting. No writer has the power of thought or words to express the result of a good meeting. When the worth of a soul and the power of influence are considered, only eternity can tell. For, "one can chase a thousand and two put ten thousand to flight."

The third Sunday of the meeting, Nov. 7th, at 10 o'clock, in the presence of a large concourse of people, the pastor still desirous of doing his Master's will, and carrying out his command, regardless of failing eyesight, buried eleven beneath the liquid wave to rise to walk in newness of life.

There were thoughts of breaking the meeting that night. How could they? when the house was packed to overflowing and the Altar full of sinners crying for mercy. It was agreed to give the following Monday to rest and get ready for a further waiting before the Lord. The weather became inclement. Monday night was rainy; nevertheless a good service was rendered by a faithful few. A glorious service on Tuesday. The weather still inclement, nights dark, it was agreed to close the meeting. On Tuesday night, three weeks from the sight it began, services ceased; but the writer trusts the revival will continue in

the hearts of God's people, until he says, "its enough, come up higher." The day following, at 10 o'clock, at the same place, five were baptized. May every soul that attended these services meet around the great white throne to part no more, is the desire of a lover of Jesus.

Prayer meeting every Wednesday night at Repton church. Everybody cordially invited.

Meeting of The Musical Club.

The Musical Club was very delightfully entertained by Mrs. Levi Cook, Saturday afternoon, Nov. 13th.

The subject for discussion was the life of Nevin and the following program was rendered.

Instrumental solo: "Narcissus"—Mrs. W. O. Tucker.

Instrumental solo: "Alb"—Miss Allie Mae Yates.

Vocal duet: "Garden of Dreams"—Misses Driskill and Sutherland.

Instrumental solo: "Good Night"—Miss Ida Price.

"Life of Nevin"—Mrs. W. V. Haynes.

Miss Willett very interestingly told the myth of "Narcissus."

A contest of the different composers added great interest to the program.

Delicious refreshments of cream and cake were served. And the decorations of pink and white cysanthemums were very beautiful.

Besides the members of the Club, the following visitors were present: Mesdames J. H. Orme, W. A. Blackburn, C. E. Weldon, Alvis Stephens, W. D. Baird, Jack Lawson, Misses Margaret Moore, Gray, Barnes, Carter, Bernice Driskill.

The afternoon was very enjoyable to all present and Mrs. Cook proved herself a charming hostess.

The Club's next meeting will be held at the home of Miss Nellie Sutherland Saturday afternoon, Dec.

385 MINERS PERISH IN CHERRY, ILL.

Among the Missing are Many Americans---Majority are Foreign Born

Cherry, Ill., Nov. 15.—Many people gathered at Cherry Monday morning to witness the early morning efforts to rescue the miners imprisoned in the coal mine as a result of Saturday evening's fire.

The officials of the mine, haggard and nervous, were still the hardest working men of the rescuers and none of them had stopped for sleep since the accident happened.

A rescuing party that came up about noon Monday stated that there was little chance of the rescuing any of the miners.

They found no bodies near the entrance.

There are numerous caverns and the mine is in bad shape.

Everything seems to be against the miners and there is practically no oxygen in the mine so that there is little chance that many of the miners have survived.

The list of the missing men was compiled yesterday in the offices of the mining company and it reached a total of 385, including the dead bodies taken from the burning cages Saturday afternoon. One hundred and seventy men who entered the

mines Saturday morning have been accounted for. The company had scores of tracers at work yesterday rounding up the employees and at nightfall the officials admitted that the number of men imprisoned was greater than at first believed to be possible.

Among the missing are many Americans who have lived for years and reared their families in Illinois. Though a majority of the miners are foreign born, yet all had their homes here or in surrounding towns.

Cherry today was the scene for thousands of persons and before noon the St. Paul mine was surrounded by an almost uncontrollable mob. A number of deputies were sworn in to handle the crowd. Trains from near by towns were run into the stricken village. Each train was packed, some attracted by curiosity and others by a craving for news from some loved one. Fathers whose sons were in the mines wept as others escorted them from the entrances to the shafts where preparations were being made with all possible haste to rescue them if possible.

11th.

Strayed

From my farm near Hurricane on Friday, Nov. 12th, two mules, one a yearling black horse mule with white nose, and the other a weanling, also black, with white nose. Any information as to the whereabouts of same will be cheerfully paid for.

J. C. LINDSEY,

30 2tp. Nov. 16, 1909. Marion, Ky.

CHAPEL HILL

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Parr, Fredonia, were visitors of the family of B. F. Walker Sunday and attended the meeting at Chapel Hill.

Everett Bebout, of the Hurricane country, was up to see his babies Saturday night and attended church.

Odus LaRue and family, Sheridan, were guests of Mrs. LaRue's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Hill, Sunday.

W. M. Ward, of Evansville, was a guest of friends and relatives in this section Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Condit, Dean's, were visiting in this section Saturday and Sunday and attended church at the Chapel.

Miss Gustava Haynes, of Marion, was a guest of her sister, Mrs. Jim Fowler, a few days this week.

The meeting is moving on nicely. Up to Sunday there were two professions and two additions. Much interest is manifested and everything points to a good revival. Brother Thompson is doing the preaching.

J. M. Persons and wife, Marion, were at church Sunday. The latter will remain to attend the meeting.

School Entertainment.

An entertainment will be given at the School Auditorium Saturday evening, Nov. 20th, for the purpose of raising funds with which to divide

the High School room.

The program will be under the direction of Miss Willett, teacher of expression, and will consist of several musical numbers by Miss Pearl LaRman, vocalist, readings by Miss Willett, and a play entitled "The Marble Arch." The characters in the play are: Jack Mereweather, newly married, J. M. Hawes; Capt. Trenham, in pursuit of wife, J. P. King; Marion Mereweather, Jack's wife, Miss Lena Holtzclaw; Mrs. Constance Cameron, running away from an unknown lover, Miss Willett. Miss Pearl Bird LaRman has spent two years abroad with one of the best masters and also has recommendations from noted Chicago musicians and press notes from many large cities.

Admission 25c., and 35c., reserved seats 50c.

Dr. Byron W. King, Coming.

Byron W. King, President of the Pittsburg School of Oratory, orator, author and actor, will give one of his famous lectures at the Marion Graded School Auditorium, Saturday evening, Nov. 27th. Dr. King has become noted as the teacher of the great Southern orator, John Temple Graves, and is one of the most popular lecturers now on the American platform. He is in great demand, and it is only by a fortunate chance that we are able to get him on the above date. Having heard this talented speaker twice and knowing him personally, the writer does not hesitate to say that he is certain to please the Marion people beyond measure. Subject for the lecture will be announced later. Admission 25 and 50 cents.

LOST—A black morocco wallet containing insurance tables, etc., on road between Marion and residence of J. D. Vaughn. If found return to Crittenden Hotel and get reward.—W. B. Maple. 1tp